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San Francisco Bay Region



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Subject:

Comments on the Draft Record of Decision for Skeet Range (Installation

Restoration Site 29), Alameda Point, Alameda, California

Dear Mr. Macchiarella:

The San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board (Water Board) staff reviewed the Draft Record of Decision for Skeet Range (Installation Restoration Site 29), Alameda Point, Alameda, California, dated April 20, 2005 (Draft ROD) and concurs with the conclusion that no further action is needed at this site.

The Installation Restoration (IR) Site 29 is located on the northwestern corner of former NAS Alameda. IR Site 29 extends offshore into the San Francisco Bay with dimensions of about 1,300 feet by 800 feet. The primary site-related contaminants are lead shots and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) from the clay targets located approximately 80 feet offshore. The results of the Remedial Investigation and Risk Assessments have shown that the lead shot and PAHs found at this site do not pose an unacceptable risk to either humans or potential ecological receptors such as diving waterfowl.

Staff intends to recommend to the Executive Officer of the Water Board to sign the Record of Decision, provided Department of Toxic Substances Control, the lead State Agency for Alameda Point, does not have significant and substantial comments. Please contact me at (510) 622-2363 or email jchuang@waterboards.ca.gov if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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